

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

On page 1, please amend the Title as follows:

**[[AN]] INTERVERTEBRAL SPACER DEVICE HAVING ARCH SHAPED SPRING  
ELEMENT**

On page 1, please amend paragraph [0001] as follows:

The present application is a continuing application of U.S. Patent Application Number 09/982,148 filed 10/18/2001, now United States Patent No. 6,673,113, entitled “An Intervertebral Spacer Device Having Arch Shaped Spring Elements”.